

# After The Assembly Is Over, What Then?

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"What do you do in real life?" said one Maryland legislator to another.

"Why, I . . ." he began, but he never finished the sentence. He considers the General Assembly as a "real" life of its own.

The answer could very likely be "lawyer" or "insurance salesman." But the range of possibilities among the State's 152 lawmakers is surprising.

Henry T. Baynes (D., Sixth Baltimore) leaves the hurly - burly House of Delegates at the end of a session to return to the peace and quiet of flowers and plants. He is a florist.

## One Hat For Another

Edward W. Brooks (D., Third Baltimore) doffs his legislative hat (one-sixth boss) and goes home to fit hats to the heads of his constituents, a job which once led a politician to the Presidency of the United States. Mr. Brooks is a haberdasher.

State Senator Joseph A. Bertorelli (D., First Baltimore) is a professional musician and band-leader, besides working on the staff of Mayor Grady.

Delegate Fred B. Driscoll (R.,

Allegany) is a barber, besides being a Mason, a Moose and an Optimist.

## Lawyers All

In Baltimore's Fifth district, you apparently have to be a lawyer, all five delegates and the senator are. That is the only delegation completely staffed by attorneys.

Farmers, doctors, watermen, newspaper editors, housewives, foremen, lumbermen, contractors, wholesalers—the range of occupations and professions is as wide as Maryland is across.

## "Conflict Of Interest"

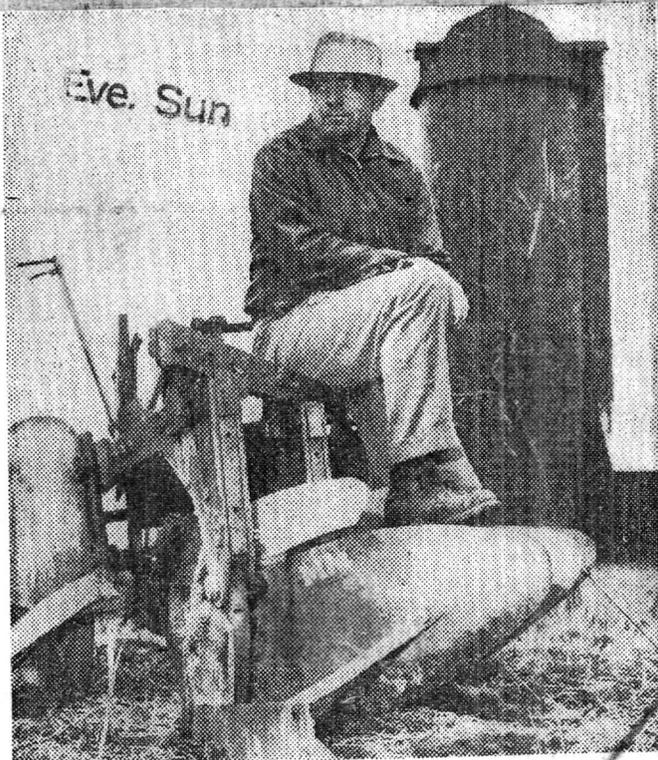
Sometimes a man's business gets him in trouble. Somebody shouts "conflict of interest." Maryland's legislators have usually taken the point of view that at the State level a man's business should not bar him from voting on almost any bill.

A case in point is the matter of savings and loan associations. A good half of the legislators are connected in some way with the associations, but they all voted on the regulatory bills under consideration last year.

In "real life," they are all legislators.



DELEGATE FRANCES HOLUB (D., Second Balto.), housewife.



DELEGATE JAMES CLARK, JR. (D., Howard), farmer.



DELEGATE HENRY T. BAYNES (D., Sixth Balto.), florist.

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